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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 12, 2006, applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1 and 2, for examination at this time.

Consideration of the elected claims is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,
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